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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: **Nicola Frances Bateman et al.**) Confirmation No. **6134**
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Application No. **10/565,100**) Group Art Unit: **4173**
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND
PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

This paper responds to the Office Action dated November 7, 2007, the time for responding to which has been extended to January 7, 2008 by the concurrent filing of a request for a one-month extension of time and authorization for fee payment. Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendments before examination on the merits.

Amendments to the claims begin at page 2 of this response.

Remarks begin at page 6 of this response.